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Commissioner:

On even date herewith an assignment is being filed for recordation, noting Simag GmbH as assignee for this application.

Enclosed herewith is a small entity declaration, small business concern, to confirm that Simag GmbH qualifies as a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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